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Complaints in respect to said assessments will be heard and detrmined between JULY 7 and JULY 21, 1884.

By order of the Complete ROBERT P. DODGE, Assessor, D. C. THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCK

Railroad Company will be held at the Office of the com-pany in Anacestia, MOS DAY, July 14. The polls will B open for election of Directors from 1 until 3 o'clock
H. A. GKISWOLD, President. T. E. SMITHSON, Secretary. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE annual meeting of the stockholders, for the election of seven directors of the Metropolitan Railroad Company, will be held at the office of the company, mar P street bridge, on WEDNESDAY, the 9th of July, 1884. The polis will be open from 2 until 4 o'clock p.m. The beoks for transfer of stock will be closed between the 5th and 10th of said month. WM. W. MOORE, Secretary. Je24-eotij TO THE PUBLIC.—HAVING ASSOCIATED with me in business from this date, July 1, 1884 my brother, GALUSIIA A., under the firm name of J. RICHARD RIGGLES & BIO. I take this means of notifying the public; and while thanking my customers for past favors, I heartily solicit a continuance of their patronage.

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CLOSING UP WORK IN CONGRESS

RUSHING BUSINESS IN BOTH HOUSES The friends of the S. S. P. C. are hereby informed that THE PORTER BILL FAILS IN THE SENATE

> The Senate. PAILURE OF THE PITZ JOHN PORTER BILL TO PASS OVER After the reading of the journal the chair laid before the Senate the Fitz John Porter veto message, which was read. The question being, "Shall the bill pass, notwithstanding the objections of the information. After that he was appointed Attor-President?" the yeas and nays were taken without ney General. He believed his fees amounted debate, and resulted in a tie vote-yeas 27, nays 27. Two-thirds not voting in the affirmative, the bill | was all paid before he became account was con-Yeas-Messrs. Bayard, Beck, Brown, Butler, 39,051.46
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> Call, Cameron of Pa., Cockrell, Coke, Fair, Farley, Garland, George, Groome, Hampton, Harris, Hoar, Maxey, Morgan, Pike, Pugh, Ransom, Sewell, Vance, Vest and Voorhees—27.
> Nays—Messrs, Aldrich, Allison, Blair, Bowen, Cameron of Wisconson Dewice, Debyer, 1981. Cameron of Wis., Conger, Dawes, Dolph, Ed-munds, Hale, Harrison, Hawley, Hill, Ingalis, Lap-ham, Logan, McMillan, Miller of N. Y., Mitchell,

Morrill, Palmer, Platt, Plumb, Sawyer, Sherman, Van Wyck and Wilson-27. THE FORTIFICATION BILL Mr. Dawes, from the committee on appropriations, reported the fortification bill, with amendments. It was ordered printed. Mr. Jones (Nev.) explained that he had been necessarily absent during the vote on the Fitz John Porter bill, and that if he had been in the chamber he would have voted in favor of the bill becoming

a law notwithstanding the President's objections. NATIONAL TRADES UNIONS. Mr. Blair, from the committee on education and labor, reported favorably the bill to legalize the incorporation of national trades unions. It was placed on the calendar. THE ANTI-CHINESE BILL PASSED.

The anti-Chinese bill was called up by Mr. Miller, of California Mr. Platt moved to strike out the clause excluding Chinese who are subjects of governments other than that of China. Mr. Hoar reaffirmed his disapprobation of this class of legislation. The bill, he said, was based on sheer barbarism, and the American people would, in his contribution of the contributi in his opinion, some day repent the action of Congress on this subject.

Mr. Miller (Cal.) hoped Mr. Platt's motion would not be agreed to. Mr. Platt's motion was not agreed to, and the

munds, Hawley, Hoar, Lapham, McMillan, Mitchell, Morrill, Platt and Wilson-12. "THE GLORIOUS FOURTH" IN THE SENATE. to business the secretary of the Senate shall read the Declaration of Independence. The resolution as originally offered included the reading also of W shington's farewell address, but Mr. Sherman

Resolutions offered by Mr. Hawley were agreed into the character and sufficiency of tools in navy | work without witness' knowledge. yards and foundries suitable for the manufacture of engines for such vessels, and of guns for such

whether by the government or by contract with private parties. CONFERENCE ON THE SUNDRY CIVIL BILL. A message from the House of Representatives announced the non-concurrence of that body in the Senate amendments to the sundry civil bill. The Senate, on motion of Mr. Allison, insisted on its amendments, and ordered a committee of con-

The chair appointed as such committee Messrs. LAND GRANT FORFEITURE. The Senate then resumed consideration of the bill to forfeit the unearned lands granted to the Atlantic and Pacific railroad company.

FOTIFICATION BILL PASSED. The fortification bill was passed without debate,

The House. Mr. Finerty (III.) said that he was absent yester day when the vote was taken on the passage of the

Fitz John Porter bill, in the belief that he was paired. He found that he was mistaken. Had he the political view of it? Of course, you would not the convention at all. It will not be unless affairs been present he would have voted for the bill. Mr. Robinson (N. Y.) made a similar statement. CONFEREES APPOINTED. The Speaker appointed Messrs. Oates, McMillin and Payne as conferees on the bill limiting the time within which prosecutions may be instituted

against persons charged with violating internal revenue laws. Also, Messrs. Rosecrans, Morgan and Steele as onferees on the bill relieving certain soldiers from the charge of desertion. Also, Messrs. Rosecrans, Morgan and Laird as conferees on the bill for the location of a branch soldiers' home in one of the western states. Also, Messrs. Randall, Forney and Ryan as conferees on the sundry civil appropriation bill. A PROPOSED INVESTIGATION OBJECTED TO.

Mr. Talbott (Md.) asked consent to report from the committee on military affairs a resolution authorizing a sub-committee to investigate the charges of official misconduct on the part of Moses H. Webber in appropriating for his own use government property from the navy yard at Charlestown, Mass. Mr. Hiscock (N. Y.) objected. REPORT OF THE ENGLISH INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE. select committee appointed to inquire whether any ex-members have violated the privileges of the with Price's assistance, unless your judgment tells House. The committee find no custom or usage which would justify them in the conclusion that I am very anxious about the whole matter. the conduct of Wm. H. English, in the contested a case of English agt. Peelle, was a breach of the privileges of the House, and recommend that the whole matter be laid on the table.

Mr. Millard (N. Y.) presented the minority report, declaring that the charge that Wm. H. English lobbied on the floor in the interest of his son was fully sustained by the testimony, and that his conduct was improper and a flagrant violation of the privileges of the House. The report is accompanied by a resolution excluding Wm. H. English from the floor during the present Congress.

After a long debate Mr. Hammond moved to lay the whole matter on the table; agreed to-yeas,

137; nays, 72. Capitol Topics. ADJOURNMENT ON SATURDAY PRETTY CERTAIN. It is assumed as a settled fact that Congress is to adjourn on Saturday, and a large number of members have already bought their tickets for home and secured sleeping berths for that date.

NOMINATIONS. The President yesterday nominated Le Baron B Colt, of Rhode Island, to be U. S. judge of the first judicial circuit; Charles S. Zane, of Illinois, to be chief justice of the Territory of Utah; J. E. D. Cousins, of Missouri, to be marshal of the United States for the eastern district of Missouri; also a number of postmasters.

The Sundry Civil Bill. AMENDMENTS BY THE SENATE PREVIOUS TO THE PASSAGE OF THE BILL The Senate passed the sundry civil bill yesterday. An amendment appropriating \$6,000 to improve the ventilating machinery of the Senate was adopted. Another amendment appropriating \$3,000 for cleaning the outside marble walls of the House and Senate wings and making it the duty of the architect to keep them clean hereafter was adopted. Another amendment appropriating \$12,000 for the purchase of 1,000 copies of the work entitled "Original Portraits of Washington" by Elizabeth Bryant Johnston, for distribution to the public librates. Elizabeth Bryant Johnston, for distribution to the public libraries, was adopted. An amendment offered by Mr. Blair to allow employes at the government printing office fifteen days leave of absence in each year was ruled out on a point of order made by Messrs. Allison and Plumb. The amendment providing for departmental exhibition at the New Orleans exposition was amended so as to include the Louisville and Cincinnati expositions. The Senate increased the bill \$3,800,000, making the total over \$20,000,000.

To-MORROW (Friday) being the 4th of July and a legal holiday, THE STAR Will not be issued. GOVERNMENT RECEIPTS TO-DAY .- Internal reve nue, \$371,460.61; customs, \$697,050.58. Mr. EDWARD A. DEWARAY has been appointed

AT THE CAPITOL TO-DAY. THE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S TES- Jurors, the witness said he made inquiry into the TIMONY. He Explains Matters About the Star

Route Prosecutions MR. BLISS' WAR ON COOK AND GIBSON-MR. BLISS' ANXIETY TO HAVE DISTRICT ATTORNEY COREHILL REMOVED-THE ATTORNEY GENERAL DENIES STATE-MENTS MADE BY MR. BLISS-WHY MR. MERRICE WAS EMPLOYED-FACTS ABOUT THE STROBACH AND OTT-MAN CASES.

Attorney General Brewster was examined before the Springer committee this morning. He said that after his appointment as counsel for the government in the star route cases he went home and prepared the arguments upon the informations. and studied up those cases. He made an argument in court in opposition to the motion to quash the about \$5,000 for services as special counsel. This nected with the Department of Justice, and he did not know anything of Bliss' contract, nor the rate of his compensation.

COOK AND GIBSON. "What was the cause of the dismissal of Mess Cook and Gibson?" asked Mr. Springer. The witness replied: "Mr. Bliss asked that they be dismissed, saying that it was not safe to have them in the case. Cook and Gibson came to me, also, with their side of the case, complaining that Bliss treated them very badly. They said that he displayed a want of confidence in them which not only reflected discredit upon them, but seriously affected their usefulness, and complained that they were not allowed access to papers. Mr. Woodward joined Bliss in recommending their dismissal, saying they were not safe to have in the case. Bliss said that he believed they were furnishing information to the other side, and he had to change the combination on the safe as they were disclosing the contents of papers kept there to the defense." Witness was disinclined to dismiss these gentle-men at that time, but Bliss insisted upon it so strenuously that witness was about to dismiss them when he received their resignations. BLISS WANTED DISTRICT ATTORNEY COREBILL DIS-

Witness, continuing, said that Bliss had written letters to him, probably two or three, saying that great obligations for the note. Brewster Cameron he would not act in the cases unless Col. Corkhill was | came in, and upon learning of the note said: "Why dismissed from the district attorneyship, claiming that Corkhill was associated with the defendants and having access to the jury room, gave them in-formation which would assist them in meeting the osecution. The Attorney General went to the resident and showed him the letters. The President answered, as he always had, that he wanted the cases vigorously prosecuted and would do all stances under which he gave the note. Mr. Brew-he could to assist. He would follow the Attorney ster expressed the highest opinion of Judge Wylie General's advice in the matter. If he desired Cork- and of his conduct of the star route cases. Witness said that he did not desire the dismissal of Corkhill. He had done good service in the Guiteau case, which was not then completed, and his services were still necessary. Besides, he deemed it unjust to dismiss him upon general charges under the circumstances. SENATOR EDMUNDS ADVISES THE EMPLOYMENT MERRICK.

The witness went to see Senator Edmunds, who agreed with him that it would be a harsh thing to because, as chairman of the Senate judiciary com- have saved this large outlay. mittee, he would have a voice in the removal, by having to pass upon the confirmation of Corkhill's | Woodward's integrity and efficiency. successor. Senator Edmunds suggested that Mr. Merrick be employed to assist Bliss, as this would is by no means certain that the The resolution offered yesterday by Mr. Sherman | remove the case from politics. Bliss expressed de- | meet again this session. light at the employment of Merrick. The witness said that Mr. Ker was appointed because of his experience in drawing indictments, and also because he was a democrat. Witness sent | Talk About Candidates at the Capitol for Corkhill, and told him it was within his (witness') power to remove 1.1m on the spot. CORKHILL PROTESTED

mitting his social relations with the defendants, to the government. Corkhill said he only wanted any time he should appear derelict, he would be appointment of a committee of five Senators to ex- willing to be removed. That day Corkhill put his amine into the capacity of steel-producing works | name to the indictments. The witness said he was in the United States to make steel suitable for guns | surprised when he learned that Ker was prosecutof high power-plate suitable for war ships, and ing the cases, and that Bliss had put him at that vote of the country, and that he would also get the trouble with Mr. Bilss about his bill, saying he thought Mr. Bliss was very uncivil about the matvessels and sea-coast defences; also to inquire as to ter. Bliss claimed \$6,700, but finally \$4,700 was althe best method of manufacturing the same- lowed him, but it is yet unpaid. Bliss finally ac-THE ACCEPTING OF PRICE AS A WITNESS.

cepted the witness' ruling in the matter. conference in regard to accepting Price as a witness was correct. He said that Bliss and Merrick got very much excited, and each threatened to leave the case unless his view of the matter was accepted. Until he read Ker's testimony the witness never knew that Bliss had withdrawn the case because of his (witness') decision to accept Price as a witness.

The chairman inquired about Walsh's charge crats do not count upon Ohio. that Secretary Chandler was consulted as to prose cuting Kellogg, and that Bilss had written some letter or letters against that prosecution.

The Attorney General furnished the following as

POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT, WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 20, 1882. My Dear Sir:-As to the matter which I spoke of to you this a.m. as to the using of Price as a witness, why not consult with Secretary Chandler on consult any one on the legal aspect; but the matter may be productive of great difficulties. Merrick may get ugly if he does not have his own way, and make trouble in the case on trial. At the same time | New York delegation falling to agree upon a man | we cannot any of us allow Price, who is indicted of that state may go to Randall. He has some and guilty, to escape unless he gives us some one more guilty, and does it certainly. Without Walsh win. But the Pennsylvania delegation will not ago, but have never been in force, nor is there any probability of their being enforced." Price is of little or no use to us, and Walsh is not place Randall in the field unless they have assurnow available to us. With Walsh, even, we do not get a clear case through Price's assistance against any one, except, perhaps, Brady, and situated as we are now we do not need to give up any one to get proof against Brady in another case than that on trial. Price cannot aid us in the one on trial. Merrick has become greatly interested to attack Kellogg. I think politics affect him. He may claim to have promised Price protection. I think in fact, he has done so only conditionally. He certainly had no legal right to it without consulting you and getting authority from you. He had no moral right to do it without consulting me. I think, in fact, he has not done it, but he may be willing to have it supposed he has, as being more likely to get your approval of something he has done than your con-sent to do the same thing. The matter may come to a shape where you will have to "put your foot lown," but I think the wise way is to temporize at least till this trial is over. At worst it may become necessary to accept anything Merrick has done in promising Price immunity, but that does not involve consenting to prosecutions against others you that such prosecutions ought to be instituted. that he can carry the state in spite of this. That Yours truly, The Attorney General said he was not pleased with the letter and made no reply to it. He was placed in a difficult position, as he felt it would in-jure the case to let Bliss go out of it.

WALSH GETS POSSESSION OF INFORMATION. The chairman asked if witness talked with Secretary Chandler about the matter. Gen. Brewster repiled that he did not; that he could not permit anybody to talk with him upon the political aspect of any case he had charge of as Attorney General: that he would resent an attempt to induce him to look at the political phase of a matter involving the dispensing of justice. Being asked if he had any cordispensing of justice. Being asked if he had any correspondence with Secretary Chandler, the witness replied that when Walsh's letter complaining that Bliss had sought to injure Walsh was published, witness wrote to Bliss about it. Bliss in reply denied all of Walsh's accusations, but Walsh had intimated that the Attorney General was a party to the effort to suppress the Kellogg case, and that he had been in consultation with a member of the Cabinet. Bliss' reply to the Attorney General's letter on the subject of Walsh's complaint was delayed, but meantime the witness was advised that Secretary Chandler was the member of the that Secretary Chandler was the member of the Cabinet referred to by Walsh, and that Mr. Chand-Cabinet referred to by Waish, and that Mr. Chandler wanted the Attorney General to write him a letter, that he might have opportunity to deny the whole thing. Biss, in his reply denying Waish's accusations, expressed the opinion that Waish was under the influence of the defense, but cautioned the Attorney General not to let his (Bliss') letter get out, as it would offend Walsh, who was a government witness. ernment witness, and might drive him out of the case. The witness did write to Secretary Chandler, and enclosed a copy of Bliss' letter. In response Secretary Chandler denied Walsh's charge that he had made any attempt to shield Kellogg, but joined in Eller any to keen the whole correspondence in Bliss' caution to keep the whole correspondence secret. Subsequently, much to the Attorney General's surprise, Walsh wrote another letter showing that he had knowledge of the letters written by Bliss and by Chandler. The witness could not understand how Walsh got that information, as he witness) had kept the correspondence among the witness) had kept the correspondence among his

private papers. THE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S APPEARANCE IN COURT In reply to questions, the witness explained why he appeared and made argument in the first star route case and did not in the second. In the first it was thought that the weight of his official position would add to the government's case. He made great preparation, and sat up many a night, familiarizing himself with every detail of the case. In the second case, while it was deemed important that he should appear, he did not want to supplant Mr. Merrick, who had manfully borne the brunt of the whole prosecution. the whole prosecution.

The witness said there had been no intentional delay in prosecuting the civil star route cases, but difficulty in getting counsel had postponed action. They are to be prosecuted earnestly.

THE JURY BRIBERY CHARGE.

Being questioned about the alleged bribery

matter with the determination not only to remove Brewster Cameron, but to hand him over to pun-shment if he was found guilty; but there was nothing to connect Cameron with it. Not a thing. The witness was thoroughly satisfied that nobody connected with his department did anything wrong in connection with the so-called bribery matter.

TWO CENTS.

THE STROBACH CASE. The Attorney General denied positively Bliss' charge that the Department of Justice knew of the charges against Strobach, but withheld them until after the President had appointed Strobach, All the facts found upon investigation about the delin-President did not like the idea of Brewster Cam- egation will be that of New York, at the meeting eron persecuting Strobach, but upon examining the result of the investigation the Pr sident acquiesced in its justice. The Attorney General said he did tendance then an effort will be made to poll it on not believe that any man in the administration the choice for President, and the strength of Gov. would have the hardfhood to stand up and main- Cleveland will be fully presented. If he has a matain the doctrine advocated by Bilss-that an appointment by the President, as in the case of Strobach, condoned past offenses of an individual. If, a full delegation this early. he said, any member of the administration did that he had better prepare to leave office.

THE OTTMAN CASE. With regard to the Ottman case the witness said he asked Bliss to name a good man to whom he might refer the case. After canvassing a good many names Bliss said he would take the case, and secure the Kings county delegation, as they seem on condition that he should settle it without any compensation. Witness approved Bliss' report. Witness did not examine the papers, but left the whole case to Bliss, trusting entirely to him. If witness had then read Gov. Wells' statement be would not have referred the case to Bliss. Wells had denied some of Bliss' statements. Witness did not for a moment suspect that Bliss acted in bad faith. He did not believe that any of the prosecution in the star route cases falled of their duty. The President always manifested desire to have the cases thoroughly prosecuted. The President had been loyal to his duty in thought, word and act in all the cases.

THE NOTE TO BLISS. asking him to see Kellogg, that Kellogg came to was persecuting him politically. Kellogg was wringing his hands and crying. Kellogg did not want to see Bliss, so witness wrote a line in pencil that man will make a bad use of that letter." Mr. Brewster said he only gave the note to get rid of Kellogg; that Kellogg wanted to talk with aim, but he refused, saying he did not want his confidence. Upon Casseron saying a bad use would be made of the note, witness asked Cameron to go to Bliss and explain the circumpart of Merrick against Kellogg.

THE COUNSEL MERS With regard to the fees charged by Bliss, Mer- tion "to vote as a unit and use their utmost enrick and Ker, witness said his judgment was that | deavors in favor of an emphatic declaration of that the bargain made by Bliss was not an extravagant one, in view of the belief then that the case would not last long. Merrick was paid liberally, but not too liberally. Taken altogether witness thought the counsel were well paid, but not extravagantly paid. If, said witness, the district attorney had enjoyed the confidence of the government it would The Attorney General bore high testimony to Mr. The committee adjourned. Mr. Springer says it

DEMOCRATIC BOOMERS.

THURMAN'S ANTI-MONOPOLY STRENGTH - HOPEFUL BAYARD MEN AND THE CAUTIOUS FRIENDS OF RAN-DALL-CLEVELAND WILL LEAD ON THE FIRST

In the presidential talk at the Capitol it has developed that the idea of nominating

EX-SENATOR THURMAN. of Ohio, is seriously entertained by leading men o the party. In his behalf it is said that he would support of the whole anti-monopoly element. "That element," said a prominent democrat, delegate-nt-large to Chicago from a western state, "Is somewhat communistic, but it is not to be de-

spised. It is much larger than many suppose, and It is admitted that Thurman cannot be nominated unless the Ohio delegation takes him up, and both Payne and Hoadly must be got out of the way to bring that about. Still, the friends of Thurman maintain that it is capable of demonstration that neither Payne nor Hoadly stands any chance, and, WALSH'S CHARGE THAT SECRETARY CHANDLER WAS in that state; but they say the effect could be dis- Several of the 77th were wounded by bayonets becounted by announcing in advance that the demo- fore they obeyed the order.

THE BAYARD MEN are still working industriously, and feel hopeful They insist that Cleveland will not get the New ral support there. While

MR. RANDALL'S FRIENDS hope to see him nominated they do not regard the to-day: "Randall's name may not be mentioned in take a shape that will satisfy his friends he can be agree, that may open the way for Randall. The ances of such support from other quarters as will shove him right to the front." CLEVELAND WILL LEAD ON THE FIRST BALLOT.

It is generally conceded by the politicians at the House to-day that Cleveland will lead the field on the first ballot at Chicago. The friends of the other candidates claim, however, that this will lessen his chances for securing the two-thirds necessary for the nomination. They say he will not be able to get more than a bare majority of all the delegates, and the result will be that the rest will combine against and defeat him. This reckoning is all upon the assumption that he gets the New to-day about his getting this delegation under the unit rule. Cleveland's riends claim that he will have seven out of the nine Brooklyn delegates which will give him not less than 42 of the 72 delegates. This, under the unit rule, would give him the entire state delegation, and, his friends claim, the nomination. They do not, however, deny that his nomination will lose to the party a large vote from the labor organizations in the state, but say there will be a bolt, they acknowledge, but say that Cleveland's nomination will inspire the bus interests with confidence

PROMOTED.—Samuel McMonigle, War department A. G. O., has been promoted from \$1,000 to \$1,200. THE NAVY DEPARTMENT FRAUDS .- The court of inquiry on the Navy department frauds examined Medical Director L. J. Williams with reference to the system of making purchases at the New York laboratory. Ex-Surgeon General Wales will be be-fore the court on Saturday. Secretary Chandler has dismissed E. C. Kirkwood, the clerk in the bureau of medicine and surgery who was implicated in the so-called Navy department frauds, and has promoted Mr. Benjamin White from \$1,400 to \$1,600 in his stead. The vacant clerkship which exists in consequence has not yet been filled. NAVAL ORDERS.—Passed Assistant Paymaster S

R. Calhoun, ordered to the training ship New

Hampshire, 31st inst.; Paymaster John Furey, de-

tached from the New Hampshire and ordered to settle accounts; Assistant Engineer John A. Hen-derson, from the Passaic; Naval Cadet J. E. Palmer, from the Franklin and ordered to the Tennes-THE COLORED CHAPLAIN.-Rev. Henry V. Plummer, of Maryland, nominated to be chaplain in the ninth U. S. cavalry, is a colored man, and was in 1865 a field hand, working in Prince George's county, Md. Postmaster General Creswell appointed him a messenger in the Post Office Department, and while there he educated himself after office hours and saved enough money to take the theological course at Howard University, where he graduated with high honors. The ninth cavalry is a colored regiment.

PERSONAL-Gen. J. G. Parke and Mr. Richard T Merrick, of Washington, were registered in New York last night.—George Shepard Page, of New York, and Paul Arnold, of Chicago, are at the Ebbitt.—Michael Blumenthal, Mrs. Hannah Levy, Mrs. Augusta Muhl and Edw. Pressenbring, of Washington, were passengers by the steamer leaving Baltimore for Bremen to-day.—Senator Ingalls was made an LL. D. by Williams Coilege yesterday.—J. W. Torrey and J. G. Torrey, of Bangkok, Slam, are at Willards.—Mr. George Jones, of the New York Times, sails for Europe to-day, leaving his paper to support Cleveland in case he is nominated.—Admiral Pattison and family have gone to Rock Enon Springs.—Miss Nilsson, Frau Materna and Theodore Thomas sailed for Europe yesterday.—Mrs. Franck Taylor and her daughter, Mrs. F. B. McGuire, are at the Warm Springs of Virginia for a prolonged stay.—Mr. E. R. de Lome, of the Spanish legation, and Representative Kelley, of Pennsylvania, sailed from New York for Europe yesterday.—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Semken sail from New York on Saturday in the steamer City of Chicago, for Europe, to be absent for about three months. York last night.—George Shepard Page, of New

Telegrams to The Star.

THE ILLINOIS TARIFF PLANK

MILITARY RIOT IN CANADA.

THE ASIATIO PLAGUE IN FRANCE.

THREATENED FRENCH-CHINESE WAR.

CLEVELAND'S CHANCES. Gossip at Chicago To-day. MANAGER MANNING AGAINST JOHN KELLY AND PUR-CELL-POLITICIANS WAITING FOR ACTION OF THE

NEW YORK DELEGATES. Special Dispatch to THE EVENING STAR-Chicago, July 8 .- It is expected that there will quency of Strobach were transmitted to the Senate and that body rejected Strobach's nomination. The by Saturday. The first movement of any state delbe a very fair representation of the convention here

called for Saturday evening. If there be a full attendance then an effort will be made to poll it on jority, then his name will, of course, be submitted to the convention; but it is doubtful if there will be Mr. Manning who is a very active and adroit polltician, and chairman of the New York state committee, is the manager of Cleveland's campaign, and is anxious to make all the headway he can be

fore the arrival of the opposition, which will be led by John Kelly, of New York city, and Mr. Purcell, of Rochester, for the county democracy. If they can to be very confident they can, it is difficult to see how Mr. Manning can score a majority for his candidate. Mr. Manning is expected to arrive here to-night, and will open the Cleveland headquarters to-morrow One of the Tammany delegates, who is here making arrangements to receive the Tammany Hall delegation, which will reach here on Sunday afternoon, says that Mr. Kelly has assurances that If the New York delegation at the conference on Saturday evening is not full, nothing will be done in the way of voting, but the situation will be merely discussed, and a complete delegation

awaited for determining any result. Such politicians and delegates as are here are anxious to see what New York does before taking any The witness said in reference to his note to Bliss, other step. This is especially the case with the Indiana delegation, who insist that ex-Senator McDonhim complaining that Merrick was pursuing him; ald will go to the front very strongly, if New York is out of the way. The general tenor of the hotel gossip, however, is that the candidate ought to be selected from the east.

THE ILLINOIS DEMOCRATS. They Adopt the Tariff Plank of '76.

PEORIA, ILL., July &-The democratic state conention finished the state ticket by nominating Robert McKinley for attorney general and adjourned at 2:30 this morning. The tariff plank in the platform adopted last night is the same as that which was adopted by the national democratic convention of 76 at St. Louis, when Tilden was nominated for President. THE CLAUSE THAT WAS OMITTED.

cratic convention stricken out on motion of Mayor

body in favor of a tariff for revenue only. Grievances in Manitoba. WINNIPEG, July 8 .- The half-breed Indians of the Saskatchewan district have grievances against the dominion government, and have called in the help of Louis Rell, the leader of the rebellion here, to help their agitation. Rell arrived in Saskatchewan region from Montana yesterday, and it is not known what will be the result. The people here are much

cials to examine trains outside of office hours without extra pay, which the Canadian Pacific decline to give. Defeat of the Law and Order Society NYACK, N. Y., July 8.-The case of the Piermon Law and Order Society against James E. Sarven charged with selling liquor without a license, was tried last night in the Grand Opera House here. There was an immense disorderly crowd present. The trial began at 7:30 p. m., and lasted till i o'clock

verdict of not guilty. Foul Play Suspected.

GALVESTON, TEXAS, July 3.—A telegram to the News from Fort Worth says: A freight train on the Texas Pacific rathroad, near Ranger, 50 miles west certainly rally to his support the entire democratic Todd, a wealthy farmer, living near by. The body when found was cold, and foul play is suspected.

Military Riot in Ontario. SOME OF THE PARTICIPATORS BAYONETTED. TORONTO, ONT., July 3 .- At the breaking up of the camp yesterday, a serious riot was nat averted. Some one cut down the tents of the 77th battalien while the inmates were asleep. It was whom and the 77th there has been a long-standin grudge, were the guilty parties. A general figh was proposed, and the bugler sounded the assem-bly. Word was dispatched to the main guard. C company of infantry, school 81, then came to the scene of action at the double. The 77th were orwill take up Thurman if his friends in other states | dered to their tents, but refused, saying they will work for it. The loss of Ohio in October is wanted to lick the 12th. The guard were then oralso considered by the Thurman boomers. They do | dered to fix bayonets, and the 77th refusing a secnot believe that even Thurman could beat Blaine ond time to disperse, word was given to charge.

A Cold-Blooded Murder in Texas. GALVESTON, TEXAS, July 3.-A dispatch to the News from Belleville says: At the residence of Mitchell Clark, near Belleville, on Tuesday night, precisely as it came from the Senate appropriations The Attorney General furnished the following as the only letter he received from Mr. Biss on that York delegation, but that Bayard will have a libe- Zeke Hutchinson killed Bill Simms, shooting him six times with a Winchester rifle. The murder was a cold-blooded affair. Hutchinson escaped.

American Railroads in Mexico. Mexican Central railroad, telegraphs to the Assoclated Press from Laredo as follows: "The Galves ton News' Laredo corre pondent was misinformed nominated. Should the New York men fail to in regard to the contemplated law in Mexico to compel railroads to fence their lines, and to ask permission from the government inspector to run separate trains. These points are referred to in probability of their being enforced."

> FROM SUAKIM. Cairo, July 3 .- El Hazar, the greatest Mohamedan university, after a secret conclave, has pronounced in favor of the Mahdi's religious claim. El Hazar had hitherto-denied the Mandi's pretensions. This decision, it is believed, will have an important influence on the Senoussi and other tribes. Suakim dispatches state that friendly natives had made a sortle, killed two rebels and captured sev. General Foreign News by Cable. THE AMERICAN-CUBAN TREATY OF COMMERCE.

Affairs in Egypt.

THE MAHDI'S RELIGIOUS CLAIMS SUSTAINED-SORTE

finance and foreign affairs, will to-morrow begin discussion with United States Minister Foster o the proposed new treaty of commerce between America and Cuba. Bank Reform in Canada. TORONTO, ONt., July 3 .- Mr. Tarker, the ger manager of the Federal bank, will, it is said, adopt a vigorous policy of retrenchment in the bank's affairs. He is making arrangements already to sell three of the country offices of the bank, which, if consummated, will give the Federal bank ov

MADRID, July S.—A committee, composed of officials of high rank from the ministries of colonies,

\$500,600 in cash. The run at the Toronto branch of the Federal bank has completely stopped. Fleeing from the Cholera. THE PANIC IN MARSEILLES.

MARSEILLES, July 8 .- At 8 o'clock this morning three deaths from cholera had been reported since last night. At least 6,000 of the inhabitants have fled from the city. Four hundred poor workmen from Toulon have been sent back to that city. The panic is unquestionably increasing. In face of this, however, the physicians and chemists of the city have held a meeting and declared that the alarm is senseless. The rate of mortality, they aver, does not exceed that which is usual at periods of great heat. They express their beitef also that many deaths have been attributed to cholers which were really due to other causes. The muni-cipal authorities have decided to forego the customary celebration on July 14th.

THE ITALIAN CONSUL AT TOULON RECOVERING. Totton, July 3.—The Italian consul, who has been suffering from an attack of cholera, is recover-PRECAUTIONS IN PARIS.

PARTS, July 3.—The prefect of police has ordered that all passengers and baggage arriving from places where cholera is prevalent shall be disinfected before entering Paris. Some of the Parisian journals assert that there were three cases of cholera in Paris yesterday. The Voltaire denies this, but admits that there are isolated cases every summer. It says the sanitary condition of Paris is Travelers who pass into Italy by the Mount Cenis tunnel are subject to a quarantine of five

A Brutal Murder in Kentucky.

NICHOLASVILLE, KY., July 8.—Humphrey and Bill Best, brothers, and notorious desperadoes, brutally killed an inoffensive colored man named Green Bailey, in Garrard county, yesterday. The Bests, who were drunk, met Bailey walking with a female friend. Humphrey Best ordered Bailey to cease fanning himself. Bailey replied jokingly, and continued fanning. Whereupon Humphrey Best drew a revolver, and Bill Best a knife, both using their weapons, killing Bailey instantly. Bill Best boasted that he had killed a negro before, and this would not be the last. Both Bests are in jail. London, July 8.—The Shanghai correspondent of the London Times telegraphs as follows: "A war is threatened between France and China. An influential party in China are instigating it. Prominent officials, such as Tso-Tsung-Tang, Pen-Yu-Lin and the Marquis Tseng, are resolved to repudiate the recent Franco-Chinese negotiations. The French will probably claim an indemnity and demand that the Island of Formosa be pledged to secure its payment." Threatened Renewal of the Frene

Harrison was simply the clause in the tariff plank, instructing the delegates to the national convenagitated by the refusal of Canadian customs offi-

this morning, when the case was given to the jury. The latter returned at 5:30 this morning with